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Proposed Gore District Plan
Extension of Time to Notify Decision

Gore District Council prepared and notified a Proposed District Plan on 31 August 2023.

Pursuant to Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991 (RMA), Council is required to give a decision on the proposed plan two years after notifying the proposal.

On 15 July 2025, Council lodged an application with the Minister for the Environment for an extension on that timeframe.

On 1 September 2025, the Minister approved the extension, providing the following reasons for the decision:

- Gore District Council has met the statutory requirements for an application under clause 10A, Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991;
- Gore District Council has advised that an extension until 31 January 2026 is needed to complete the hearing of submissions and issue a decision on the Proposed Gore District Plan; and
- granting an extension to Gore District Council for the Proposed Gore District Plan until 31 January 2026 will provide procedural certainty for the community and all parties in the remainder of the plan-change process.

In accordance with clause 10(A)(6) of Schedule 1 of the RMA, Council is required to publicly notify this extension.

For further information, please contact Morgan Smith at Gore District Council on 03 209 0330 or hearings@goredc.govt.nz.

Dated at Gore at 8:00am on the 29 September 2025.

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